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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of a public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council (Council) will hold a meeting of the Reef Fish Advisory Panel.

DATES: The meeting will be held from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. on Tuesday, July 29, 2014.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Council's office.

Council address: Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council, 2203 North Lois Avenue, Suite 1100, Tampa, FL, 33607.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The items of discussion on the agenda are as follows:

1. Adoption of Agenda
2. Election of Chair and Vice-chair
3. Approval of August 6-7, 2012 minutes
4. Action Guide

5. SEDAR 33 Stock Assessments Gag and Greater Amberjack – SSC Recommendations and Council Actions
AP recommendations
6. Possible Greater Amberjack Size Limit and Closed Season Changes
AP recommendations
7. Possible Red Grouper Bag Limit and Accountability Measure Changes
AP recommendations
8. Update on Joint South Florida Management Options
AP recommendations
9. Discussion of MRIP Methodology to Monitor Recreational Landings
AP recommendations
10. Review SEDAR Assessment Schedule
11. Review and Evaluate the Role of Reef Fish AP
12. Other Business

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Note: The times and sequence specified in this agenda are subject to change.

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